

DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)

Title of Invention

IN VITRO DNA IMMORTALIZATION AND WHOLE GENOME AMPLIFICATION
USING LIBRARIES GENERATED FROM RANDOMLY FRAGMENTED DNA

As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

The declaration is directed to:

☒ The attached application, or

☐ Application No. _____, filed on _____,

☐ as amended on _____ (if applicable).

I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

I/we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

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